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FIRST NOTICE INFORMING THE APPLICANT OF  
THE COMMUNICATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL  
APPLICATION (TO DESIGNATED OFFICES WHICH  
DO NOT APPLY THE 30 MONTH TIME LIMIT  
UNDER ARTICLE 22(1))

(PCT Rule 47.1(c))

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Applicant

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1. **ATTENTION:** For any designated Office(s), for which the time limit under Article 22(1), as in force from 1 April 2002 (30 months from the priority date), **does apply**, please see Form PCT/IB/308(Second and Supplementary Notice) (to be issued promptly after the expiration of 28 months from the priority date).

2. Notice is hereby given that the following designated Office(s), for which the time limit under Article 22(1), as in force from 1 April 2002, **does not apply**, has/have requested that the communication of the international application, as provided for in Article 20, be effected under Rule 93bis.1. The International Bureau has effected that communication on the date indicated below:  
18 November 2004 (18.11.2004)

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In accordance with Rule 47.1(c-bis)(i), those Offices will accept the present notice as conclusive evidence that the communication of the international application has duly taken place on the date of mailing indicated above and no copy of the international application is required to be furnished by the applicant to the designated Office(s).

3. The following designated Offices, for which the time limit under Article 22(1), as in force from 1 April 2002, **does not apply**, have not requested, as at the time of mailing of the present notice, that the communication of the international application be effected under Rule 93bis.1 :

FI, LU, SE, TZ, UG, ZM

In accordance with Rule 47.1(c-bis)(ii), those Offices accept the present notice as conclusive evidence that the Contracting State for which that Office acts as a designated Office does not require the furnishing, under Article 22, by the applicant of a copy of the international application.

4. **TIME LIMITS** for entry into the national phase

For the designated Office(s) listed above, and unless a demand for international preliminary examination has been filed before the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (see Article 39(1)), the applicable time limit for entering the national phase will, subject to what is said in the following paragraph, be 20 MONTHS from the priority date.

In practice, time limits other than the 20-month time limit will continue to apply, for various periods of time, in respect of certain of the designated Offices listed above. For regular updates on the applicable time limits (20 or 21 months, or other time limit), Office by Office, refer to the *PCT Gazette*, the *PCT Newsletter* and the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Volume II, National Chapters, all available from WIPO's Internet site, at <http://www.wipo.int/pct/en/index.html>.

It is the applicant's sole responsibility to monitor all these time limits.

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## NOTIFICATION OF WITHDRAWAL OF INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION OR DESIGNATIONS

(PCT Rule 90bis.1 and 90bis.2 and  
Administrative Instructions, Section 415(a))

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Applicant SHIN-ETSU HANDOTAI CO., LTD.		

1. The applicant is hereby notified that, except as to any designated State in which national processing or examination has already started upon the express request of the applicant:

- ☐ the international application
- ☒ the designations of the following States:
- ☐ for an ARIPO patent (*specify "all States" or, if the withdrawal concerns only some States, specify those States only by indicating the two-letter country codes*):
  - ☐ for a Eurasian patent
  - ☐ for a European patent (*specify "all States" or, if the withdrawal concerns only some States, specify those States only by indicating the two-letter country codes*):
  - ☐ for an OAPI patent
  - ☒ for a national patent (*specify the States by indicating the two-letter country codes*):

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has (have) been withdrawn on the date of receipt of the notice effecting withdrawal as indicated below:

19 April 2004 (19.04.2004).

2. The notice effecting withdrawal reached the International Bureau

- ☒ before the completion of the technical preparations for publication and, consequently, there will be no international publication:
- ☐ of the international application.
  - ☒ of the designations specified above.
- ☐ after the completion of the technical preparations for publication and, consequently, the withdrawal could not be taken into account for the international publication.

3. The receiving Office and, if they are affected by the withdrawal, the designated (or elected) Offices, the International Searching Authority and the International Preliminary Examining Authority, have been informed accordingly.

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The International Bureau transmits herewith the following documents:

- ☒ copy of the international application as published by the International Bureau on 18 November 2004 (18.11.2004) under No. WO 2004/100273
- ☐ copy of international application as republished by the International Bureau on under No. WO  
For an explanation as to the reason for this republication of the international application, reference is made to INID codes (15), (48) or (88) (*as the case may be*) on the front page of the attached document.

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